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Commanding officers of the North Korean army are as follows:

Chief of Staff: KIM Chang-man*

Deputy Commander: KIM Mu-chong, former chief of artillery
and highly regarded by the Chinese Communists.

Political Commissar: HO Ka-1

Chief of the Cultural Department: YI Yong-ha, former Surgeon-
General

Commanding General, 5 Corps: KIM Ung

Chief of Staff : CHONG Tae-sup

Commanding General, 3 Corps: PAEK Nak-song

Chief of Staff : YI Chun-am

Commanding General, 5 Division (sic): CHOE Tong-hyon**

Commanding General, 7 Corps: YI Kwang-myon**

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* [REDACTED] Comment. [REDACTED] on 11 January CH'OE
Yong-kon was Commanding General and KIM Chang-man was Chief of Staff.
There have been rumors since this date of CH'OE Yong-kon's death.

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** [REDACTED] Comment. These two officers were transferred from the Chinese
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